



Request for City Council Committee Action

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To Public Safety and Regulatory Committee
Referral to Ways & Means Committee

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Approved by Deputy Chief Greg Hestness, _____

**Subject Request Approval to Enter into a Grant Award Contract
Amendment and New Award for Police Bomb Disposal Unit**

Presenters in Committee

Recommendation

The Minneapolis Police Department respectfully requests that the proper officials be authorized to execute the Minnesota Department of Public Safety – Division of Emergency Response Commission a grant award no-cost amendment to a current contract and a new grant award contract \$38,000 for FY2004-2005. The Police Department requests an amendment to increase the general appropriation resolution for 2003 by the amount of \$38,000. The grant award will operate through the state grant fund, 0600-400-C005, Revenue Source 3215.

Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

- ☐ No financial impact (If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information)
- ☐ Action requires an appropriation increase to the Capital Budget
- ☒ Action requires an appropriation increase to the Operating Budget
- ☐ Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase
- ☐ Action requires use of contingency or reserves
- ☐ Other financial impact (Explain):
- ☐ Request provided to the Budget Office when provided to the Committee Coordinator

Background/Supporting Information

On February 14, 2003 the city accepted \$82,357 from the Minnesota Department of Public Safety – Emergency Response Commission. Commission to provide bomb disposal services to other jurisdictions within the state as needed and to be reimbursed for these services at a rate of \$150 per hour. Funding also supports staff training and purchase of equipment. An amendment to this grant contract provides a no-cost extension to the grant period to June 30, 2004 to permit time to expend all grant funds.

The Police Department also requests permission to enter into a new Joint Powers Agreement with the Minnesota Department of Public Safety – Emergency Response Commission to provide bomb disposal services under the same terms for one year between July 1, 2004 and June 30, 2005.